



CCM 2014 Testimony

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The Connecticut Conference of Municipalities (CCM) is Connecticut's statewide association of towns and cities and the voice of local government - your partners in governing Connecticut. Our members represent over 92% of Connecticut's population. We appreciate the opportunity to testify on bills of interest to towns and cities.

HB 5506, "An Act Concerning Scrap Metal Sold on Behalf of Municipalities"

CCM supports HB 5506.

HB 5506 would help to reduce the theft of municipal property by requiring a scrap metal processor, junk dealer or junk yard owner or operator to refuse delivery of property from a municipality without authorization of the municipal CEO on the letterhead of such municipality. Additionally, the bill would require payment for any materials received are sent directly to the municipal CEO.

CCM would ask that the bill be amended to allow for a municipal department head to authorize the sale and that within that letter allow for instructions as to which municipal department payment may be sent.

CCM urges the Committee to amend and support HB 5506.



If you have any questions, please contact Randy Collins, Senior Legislative Associate for CCM, at rcollins@ccm-ct.org or (860) 707-6446.